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Sir:	
Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 CFR 1.53(b) is $a(n)$ :	(X) Utility ( ) Design
	(X) original patent application,
	( ) continuation-in-part application
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TITLE: Methods of Enhancing Confidence In Assays	for Analytes
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(X) 2 sheets of drawings (one set)	( ) Associate Power of Attorney
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